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LOCAL.

Major Dixon is expected here within a few days.

Governor Ross returned to Deming on Wednesday.

There are a number of new cattle buyers in town.

Numerous real estate transfers, this week, and more is prospect.

The new Episcopal church will be under roof within a very few days.

The work of unloading ties for the Deming & Sierra Madre progresses apace.

The trained dog showman returned to El Paso, but promises to be here again, next week.

J. Harris of Cook's Peak, is working a lease on the luez mine, with most excellent prospects.

Col. Webb of the Lincoln-Lacey mine at San Pedro, was in Deming last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Henry Bencke, of El Paso, was in Deming on Wednesday and went west on the evening train of that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dams are expected in by today's train, returning from their visit to the northern part of the Territory.

Mr. Bauman, who has been in Colorado, purchasing machinery for the sampling works, is expected back early next week.

Mr. E. E. Burdick returned from Nebraska on Wednesday, having completed arrangements to pasture 3,000 head of cattle on the northern ranges.

General Greeley of Artie fame, chief signal officer of the United States army, was in Deming on Tuesday looking after the heliograph service in this vicinity.

The meeting of the Deming Literary Association is now postponed until Monday the 13th as many of the members desire to attend the Opera, next Monday night.

Lieut. Britton Davis, superintendent of the Corralitas company, is expected back in Deming, within a few days, and will hereafter make this place his headquarters.

Jose Torres and Carlos Martinez made their first sample shipment of lead and silver bullion, through Deming this week. This bullion is produced at their mines near Lake Guzman.

The owners of the Flower Queen mine in Cook's Peak District, have shipped their first three carloads of ore to the Picher Lead Co., of Joplin, Mo. They have a contract to deliver 500 tons.

That picnic party of last Sunday, had a splendid time in the Florida, and the breakdown only added variety to the occasion and zest to their enjoyment. It disturbed the town jokers, however.

Sam McQuish, returning from a five month's stay in the east, was in Deming, last Tuesday. Sam expressed himself in emphatic terms when alluding to his preference for New Mexico as a place of residence.

Hank Dorsey has struck a good sized body of zinc ore recently, in the Florida mountains. Hank is an old Rocky Mountain prospector, and has been very fortunate in many of his discoveries. [Southwest Sentinel.]

Doc Belt, former deputy sheriff, was in town Monday, on his way to Gold Hill to take charge of work on Tonkins new mill. Doc is one of the few men whom a long term in office has not spoiled for active work.

A Georgia editor says that a man who would cheat a country editor out of a year's subscription would give a nickel with a hole in it to the foreign missionary fund, and sigh because the hole was not bigger than the nickel.

J. A. Mahoney of Deming is being spoken of as a suitable man for County Treasurer. Joe is capable and popular. Grant county could not find a better treasurer, or one in whom the people would have more confidence.

It may be a trifle premature, but the discussion is on, and we will carry the announcement of aspirants for office, from now until convention day, at the low rate of 25 cents, Republicans or Democrats, without distinction.

Louis H. Brown former partner of Fred. M. Smith and now of Sioux City, Iowa, is visiting among his many Deming friends. Mr. Brown is principal stockholder in the Alamo Ineco ranch, and combines business with pleasure.

The American mine at Hachita is now being steadily worked, and it is understood the ore output is of large quantity and high grade. The shipments are to the International smelter at El Paso. Every pound of this ore should be reduced by a Deming smelter.

Smith & Fleischman, consisting of Fred. M. Smith and Harry Fleischman, have bought out I. Fleischman & Co., and will hereafter run the grocery business at the old stand on Gold Avenue, south of Pine street. Fred. and Harry are both popular and attentive to business, and are certain to succeed.

James Martin, foreman of the Graphite mine, on last Tuesday purchased the Thompson property just south of J. G. Clark's fine residence on Silver Avenue. Mr. Martin contemplates additional investments in Deming real estate, and a number of others connected with the Graphite are said to entertain the same purpose.

There appears to be some ground for the rumor that an English syndicate has bought out the Deming & Sierra Madre railroad, lock, stock and barrel. But we understand the old company will go on, and complete the first fifty miles, before turning over. It is also stated that the time for completing the fifty miles, under the concession, is extended until July 20th.

The attempt of a correspondent of the El Paso Times to create the impression that El Paso will be the headquarters of the Deming & Sierra Madre railroad, is one of those little manifestations which do not hurt one place or help the other, but serve to demonstrate that the fool killer has been inattentive to his work.

A number of ladies and gentlemen who are among our leading musicians, and who are interested in helping to build up Deming, are preparing to give a concert in aid of the Episcopal church building fund. The exact date has not yet been fixed, but it will probably be during week after next.

The California Opera Company, composed of 25 people, will play at the Deming Opera House, Monday night, producing the latest comic operatic success "Said Pasha." This company is probably one of the most complete that ever crossed the continent, and our people may expect a rare treat. The costumes are described as magnificent, the music is very taking and the situations are droll in the extreme. Tickets, \$1.00 and \$1.25 for sale at Elite Pharmacy.

Colonel J. A. Lockhart, of Deming, a prominent mining man and influential Republican of New Mexico, was in the city yesterday, and he too, like all representative thinkers, regardless of general politics is an advocate of the untrammeled entrance of Mexican laborers. [El Paso Times.]

When the New Mexico delegation started for Washington, the up-country papers gave the name of Col. Lockhart, as one of the delegates on the train. Thinking the delegation might really do something for the Territory, we did not at the time, feel called upon to contradict the statement. It is safe to say that, had Col. Lockhart been of the party, much of their foolish conduct regarding statehood would have been omitted from the programme.

C. F. Howell, Esq., of Hachita, has announced that he will be a candidate on the Republican ticket this fall for the office of sheriff of Grant county, subject to the action of the Republican county convention.

Mr. Howell seems to have a good following. He is a ranch and cattle man, and well respected by all who know him. He has resided in Grant county for several years. For Mr. Howell's benefit, however, we will say that we have every reason to believe that no matter who the nominee of the party may be, he will be defeated at the polls by the Democrats. This is their special year for immense success. The Republicans are on trial now, and all their time will be occupied in trying to explain away the record that has been made by their party within the last year. We don't desire to discourage you, Mr. Howell. Sail in. This is supposed to be a free country. [Southwest Sentinel.]

PRACTICAL DEMONSTRATION.

It has been demonstrated at more than one point in Grant county, that there is no real ground for complaint of scarcity of water, if the problem be grasped in an intelligent way, and energy displayed in its solution. The water supply may not be apparent at the surface, but there are hundreds of points in the county where inexhaustible supplies are to be found, near enough to the surface to be made readily available even for purposes of irrigation. Those who are familiar with the southern portion of the county, but who have not visited that section during the past six months, would be astounded in passing down the Victoria valley to find an extensive lake of "pure" water, just where they had been accustomed to see the delusive effects of the mirage.

Seated in Max Chapman's light buckboard and behind a team of spanking bays, the rider of the HEADLIGHT could scarcely credit his vision, when he first came in sight of the fine sheet of water, which now makes the Buckeye Ranch a prominent point in this section.

It is located in the Victoria Valley, about twenty miles distant from Deming, in a southwesterly direction. The lake is four hundred and fifty feet long, by one hundred and seventy-five feet wide, being a parallelogram in shape, and the water is five feet deep. The well, or rather shaft, which is the source of supply, is fifteen feet by eight and a half feet in dimension, and in all is fifty feet deep. The distance to water however, is but thirty six feet, thus leaving a reservoir of fourteen feet depth in the well. This has rather increased during the past fortnight, the pumping appearing to add to the volume of water supply. The well is heavily cribbed at top and bottom the intermediate ground being firm and secure.

The pumping plant is of the very finest description, consisting of a Worthington steam pump, which is supplied with a column of steam carried down the shaft from a fifteen-horse power locomotive boiler. The pump is of five inch suction and four-inch discharge, and working at the rate of eighty strokes a minute, has a capacity of 12,000 gallons per hour. When the tank was first filled, it required pumping for sixteen hours out of the twenty-four, to keep up the level of water; but now, that the percolation is diminished, but twelve hours run is required each day, and at the present rate of such diminution, it is thought that, within thirty days, the tank can be kept full by about two days' pumping in each week.

The fuel required for the sixteen hours of pumping is about one cord of mesquit roots, and, as these are abundant on the ranch, the cost is comparatively trifling. The water supply is, to all appearances, inexhaustible, and the present dry season is certainly a thorough test. The tank or lake, is fenced securely, and the water is piped out to a string of six feet wide troughs, extending out two hundred feet in length, at the lower end. It is the purpose of the company to place a similar string of troughs at the upper end of the lake. The entire cost of this plant and well, with the embankment, has been about \$2,500, and, in this instance there were natural advantages for the lake, in the

lay of the ground. Mr. Chapman is even about that a similar establishment can be put up at any point, for that price.

The advantages are too obvious to require extended notice. Mr. Chapman and the Buckeye Company are entitled to credit for this practical demonstration of what can be done. Right here at the home ranch they can water the entire eight thousand head of cattle on their ranges, besides being able to accommodate any passing herds, and having it within their power to cultivate, through irrigation, a considerable tract of the land below them. There is profit in such enterprises, and numbers of our cattle companies will doubtless set upon the good example of the Buckeye Land & Live Stock company.

LOCAL AND TERRITORIAL.

The recent storm injured early fruit in Colfax county to considerable extent.

Neatly furnished above rooms for rent. Apply at the residence of Mrs. Hopkins.

That hocking cough can be so quickly cured by Shiloh's Cure. We guarantee it. At Elite Pharmacy.

E. M. Hand and W. F. Aiken are expected to return from South America this week. [Southwest Sentinel.]

Our stock of staple and fancy groceries, liquors and cigars surpasses anything in the southwest.

LEIDAUER, WORMSER & CO.

School is now held in the new M. E. church building at Roswell.

C. H. Dane & Co. have just received a large consignment of new patterns of carpets— Ingrains, tapestries and Brussels, and Smyrna rugs.

E. A. Levy, merchant at Sahabat, is spoken of for the next senator from Socorro county.

OPONTIS, the finest preparation for cleansing and whitening the teeth, manufactured and sold only by the Elite Pharmacy, put up in 25 and 50 cent bottles.

There is considerable working of mines going on and about the vicinity of Pinos Altos now, under leases.

Arrival of new stock of Summer Goods at J. J. Quinn's.

A. W. Ullick, of Albuquerque, and Sadie A. Halsey, of Las Vegas, were recently married by Rev. A. Hoffman, pastor of the First Methodist church, at his residence, in East Las Vegas.

Will you suffer with dyspepsia and liver complaint? Shiloh's Vitalizer is guaranteed to cure you. At Elite Pharmacy.

It was held by Judge O'Brien, in the district court, today, that in an indictment for cow-stealing, a description of the brand is as necessary as is that of the size and color of the animal. [Optic.]

We make a specialty of men's fine boots and shoes.

LEIDAUER, WORMSER & CO.

The Champa paper wildly states that three republican dailies of New Mexico favor Hon. T. D. Burns, of Rio Arriba county, for delegate to congress.

Glycerine Lotion, cures chapped hands, chafed and scaled skin, removes tan and freckles. Sold at the Elite Pharmacy.

The "milkmaid" convention," at Albuquerque, caused a great assemblage of persons who are interested in local matters as well as the good of the Presbyterian church.

Mahoney & Allen have just received a car load of Eclipse windmills and tanks, now ready for sale. This mill is of unquestioned superiority, and especially suited to this locality. They will be glad to correspond with those wanting windmills, tanks, pumps, and are prepared to give rates that cannot be met elsewhere.

Thursday night, 1st inst, the big general merchandise store of Davidson & Ripley, at Pinos Altos, burned to the ground. Loss about \$15,000; Insurance \$12,000. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue.

An endless variety of clothing and furnishing goods at

LEIDAUER, WORMSER & CO.'s

Frank Stewart, a railroad man who jumped a bond bill of \$120 some time ago, was sent to the county jail by Judge McIlvain at Albuquerque to await the action of the grand jury.

Grand opening of spring and summer goods next week at John J. Quinn & Co.

Ex-Governor E. G. Ross is in the city to-day. The governor always finds a warm welcome awaiting him from our citizens. He will remain with us several days. [Optic, May 1st.]

The only place in Grant county where Edwin C. Burt's fine ladies' misses and children's shoes can be found is at

LEIDAUER, WORMSER & CO.

Among other improvements made this spring at Fort Wingate, is the placing of forty acres of farming land under a strong wire and board fence.

Sleepless nights, made miserable by that terrible cough. Shiloh's Cure is the remedy for you. At Elite Pharmacy.

Louis Timmer has been attached for \$2,400 in Wash. Ter. One of the lynx-eyed creditors kept cases on him and made a grand pouce a few days ago for the amount stated. Information from other sources comes to us that Timmer intends straightening up his affairs and returning to Silver City. He is disgusted with Washington. [Southwest Sentinel.]

Hickox, at his blacksmith shop on Gold Ave., now has a fine horseshoer, and is prepared to do all kinds of work.

Major Vandever is kept quite busy at late. There are many Indians coming into the agency at present—no less than one hundred have already filed declaration of their intention to take up public land outside of the reservation—while many more of the Indians who have been off the reservation have returned and signified their intention of remaining there. [Gallop Elk.]

Nelson hats in all styles and qualities at Lindauer, Wormser & Co.'s

Lon Hartigan will resume editorial charge of the Gallup Elk when the lease of the present management expires, which will be sometime in July. Lon is no mugsump and the paper will express nothing but solid democratic principles under his charge.

Catarth cured, health and sweet breath secured, by Shiloh's Catarth Remedy. Price 25 cents. Nasal Injector free. At Elite Pharmacy.

Corporal Tanner says of the spring elections: "The boys in Indiana are being heard from and the brigadiers are not happy." By the brigadiers Tanner means Harrison, Noble and Hussy.

We will show the largest variety of silk scarfs, four in hands, Windsor Hosiery, Tregues, Creps, and Wash Linens. Our assortment the largest, our goods the best, and prices the lowest. J. J. Quinn.

The Santa Fe New Mexican says "The man who is a republican with an 'it' is not the right kind of a man to be placed in the position of a leader." That may be New Mexican republicanism, but most anywhere else that kind of doctrine would be quickly reduced to the dust of a corporal's guard of leaders. [Aster Index.]

Asa Property. A valuable tract of forty acres within one mile of the postoffice, at Deming, New Mexico, can be purchased within the ensuing sixty days at a very low price per acre. The soil is deep and rich, splendid opportunity to obtain land that within two years will be worth as much per front foot as is now asked for one acre. For particulars call on or address

McKEYES & WASHINGTON, Real estate agents, Deming, N. M. 19-21

Ex-Governor Ross returned last night for Deming, the field of his labors in the interest of the people. The governor will be in Albuquerque on the 15th inst. to enjoy the first annual meeting of the Gentlemen's Driving association. [Albuquerque Democrat.]

For lame back, side or chest, use Shiloh's Porous Plaster. Price 25 cents. At Elite Pharmacy.

Governor Hill has finally signed the Habit Reform bill, after the Republicans had obligingly unscrambled most of the reform out of it. A careful examination will probably fail to show that anything was left in it to interfere with another Hill-Harrison combine.

A new lot of Mexican lemons just received at Lindauer, Wormser & Co.

The Republicans of the Little Rock investigating committee are trying hard to prove that the Democrats ran Archibald on the same plan under which the Republicans run the House of Representatives.

Look at our latest styles of Serge 3-button cut-away suits, equal to custom made, and manufactured especially for our trade. J. J. Quinn.

It may be remarked cynically that the eight-hour heaven that is about to open to a portion of the world's toilers will not include farmers nor the women who do their housework. The two classes will work nineteen hours a day as heretofore. The slaves who get out the newspapers will do the same.

Shiloh's Vitalizer is what you need for constipation, loss of appetite, dizziness and all symptoms of dyspepsia. Price 10 and 25 cents per bottle. At Elite Pharmacy.

Perhaps your linen has become slightly soiled. If so, you can repel it, to advantage by calling on W. J. McGuinnis in the Decker & Hattall building. 200 celebrated crown brand, 4 ply linen collars, at 10 cents each; sold everywhere at 25 cents. A full line of \$2, Monarch shirts at \$1 each. Neck wear, and every thing in men's wear at correspondingly low prices.

If raw sugar makers are crippled enough by "protection" to deserve a bounty pension, wool manufacturers deserve one twice as high, for they are twice as badly crippled by Republicanism.

Shiloh's cough and consumption cure is sold by us on a guarantee. It cures consumption. At Elite Pharmacy.

If free hides are a good thing, what is the matter with free ploughs?

Croup, whooping cough and bronchitis immediately relieved by Shiloh's Cure. At Elite Pharmacy.

If free trade in hides is necessary, free trade in all manufactured goods is just as necessary. No tax on hides means low tax on everything else.

Glycerine Lotion, the most exquisite preparation for the skin. Prepared and sold at the Elite Pharmacy.

A ballot reform bill has passed the Maryland Senate with only a single vote in opposition, that vote was cast by a republican, Senator Urner, who has just been appointed Naval Officer of Baltimore one of the most lucrative and responsible United States offices within the state.

We invite inspection of our new lines of Gents Silk Necktie Shirts, "Pouffe" "English Linen" "Madras Cloths," "Silver Croise" In beautiful styles and shades, at J. J. Quinn's.

Miss Kesselsbaugh, a teacher in the Educational Home at Philadelphia, was married to one of her pupils, a full blooded Indian.

We carry the best assorted and largest stock of dry goods in this section.

The charge of diverting \$60,000 of a special appropriation and using it in an unauthorized way is made against Major Powell by the majority report of the Senate committee on Irregularities.

Spotted fever is depopulating Tennessee in the vicinity of Franklin.

We have been appointed agents for Browning, King & Co. New York, the largest merchant tailor establishment in America, and have just received a large and elegant line of samples. Fit guaranteed, no fancy prices. Give us a call. We will be pleased to show the goods. J. J. Quinn.

Arrangements are nearly complete for the Blaine-Danrosch wedding.

D. E. Bryant of Sherman was appointed United States Judge for the Eastern District of Texas.

Pioneer Agency. Business lots, residence lots, improved property, long-term leases and property in any shape, and on any terms offered by McKAYES & WASHINGTON, Pioneer Real Estate and Insurance Agents, who are also agents for the Deming Townsite.

Purchasers agreeing to build on lots purchased on Deming Townsite property, will be given a heavy reduction if substantial improvements of a stipulated value are made within a reasonable time.

If you want to know what to buy, where to buy and when to buy, call on

McKEYES & WASHINGTON. Emperor William and Bismarck are likely to resume cordial relations soon.

List of Letters.

The following letters remain in the postoffice at Deming for the week ending May 10, 1890:

Burton George W. Lewis James Lyster H W. McCon W A. Siemens August. Foyard A. Williams I V. Gutierrez Ulises Rodriguez Pavia. Ortiza Manuel. Orgols Feliciano.

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112 Piece Decorated Dinner Set, Only \$15.00

100 Piece Decorated Dinner Set only \$12.50

10 Piece Decorated Toilet Set Only \$7.50

Lamps From 50cts. to \$40.

We need room for our Holiday Goods and must have it at any price—COME EARLY AND SECURE BARGAINS

Headquarters for Lamp Goods of all kinds. Orders From Abroad Receive Prompt Attention

MONEY SAVED IS MONEY MADE.

Mahoney & Allen.

GOLD AVENUE DEMING, NEW MEXICO

Red Ridge Poultry Yards.

FRED. M. SMITH, PROPRIETOR.

Breeder of Pure Bred

BROWN LEGHORNS, PARTRIDGE COCHINS,

AND

Silver Laced Wyandottes.

EGGS for hatching from any of the above varieties.

ONE DOLLAR for Thirteen.

Notice to the Public.

This is to certify, that I have this day sold my interest in the firm of J. Fleischman & Co., to Fred. M. Smith and Harry H. Fleischman. I will collect all outstanding accounts, and pay all indebtedness to this date.

I take the opportunity of thanking my patrons for just favors, or should me by their patronage, and acknowledge the same, in behalf of the new firm. Respectfully, Deming, N. M., May 1, 1890. J. FLEISCHMAN.

Having this day purchased the interest of J. Fleischman, of the firm of J. Fleischman & Co., we will continue to carry on the business at the same stand, and endeavor, by a scrupulous and fair dealing, to merit your continued favor.

Respectfully, FRED. M. SMITH, HARRY H. FLEISCHMAN.

18-12 FOR SALE!

One first-class, unimproved ticket to St. Louis, Cheas. At the Depot.

\$500 Reward.

A reward of Five Hundred Dollars will be paid by the Southwestern Stockmen's Association of Grant county, New Mexico, for the arrest and conviction of any person or persons found unlawfully dealing in or handling, or unlawfully shooting, wounding, or poisoning any stock belonging to any member of the association. In all cases of such violations are required to deliver bill of sale with seal of association attached.

WAGG, KING, H. HUGHES, Secretaries, President.

N. A. BOLICH.

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A Full Line

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